## NEWS OF THE BUSINESS WORLD.

J. P. Morgan & Co. and a group of his associates have obtained control of the pending. In connection with the promanufacturers and Traders' Bank, of solidation into one company of the solidation into one company of the Buffalo, and have converted it into a National institution. The Morgan interests looked over the Buffalo field before purchasing, and decided that they would take a going institution rather than organize a new bank. Among the new stockholders et al. P. Morgan & Co., A. J. Cassatt, President of the Pennsylvania Railway; Clement A. Griscom, President of the International Navigation Company; Levi C. Wein, President of the Adams Express Weir, President of the Adams Express Weir, President of the New York Chamber of Company, and Morris K. Jesup, President of the New York Chamber of Company, and Morris K. Jesup, President of the New York Chamber of Company, and Morris R. Jesup, President of the Currency Ridgely has approved the application of the Northern National Bank of New York and it will be organized at once. The capital stock will be \$20,000 and the surgular \$20,000. Jacob A. Simon, Julius \$20,000. Jacob A. Simon

John Wheeler, who is eighty-one years piles than old, and has been for twenty years a the finar

ING SPECIALTIES.

in Trading-Close Strong

and Active.

The buoyancy was prefty we tended throughout the list and the trading was very well distributed

Westinghouse 3, to 217. ing dealings, Union Pacific leading with an opening gain of 1-2, to 101 5-3. Manhattan and Brooklyn were buoyselling at 66 1-8, 3-8 above last plant's

Trading continued active during the morning and the general good strength

Pennsylvania
Reading 21 pf
Beating 21 pf
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The wheat market to-day was strong and fairly active. All outside markets 19 were strong, St. Louis leading an adin the spring wheat districts and higher cables caused a good demand from shorts Corn was not so active, out showed fairly good strength, especially Sun rises, 5-32 Sun sets a Sur Moon sets a Sur this time about \$50,000,000 of the new She's a Nurse and Bedien Says He Corn was not so active,

New York's opening prices were: May Chicago's opening prices were: May

Eeptember, 71 3-4 to 72; December, 73 1-4 to 73 1-2; May corn, 58 3-4 to 59; July, 59 Nicola) II. to 73 1-2; May corn, 58 3-4 to 59; July, 59
to 59 1-4; September, 58 3-4 to 58 7-8
New York's closing prices were: Wheat
—May, 78 3-8 bid; July, 78 3-8 offered
September, 77 7-8; December, 79 3-8 bid;
Corn—May, 64 1-2; July, 64 1-4 offered
September, 63 1-2 offered.
Chicago's closing prices were: Wheat—
April, 71 3-4 nominal; May, 72 1-3 to 3-8
July, 72 7-8 to 73; September, 72 3-4; December, 74 1-4 to 3-8. Corn—April, 58
seminal; May, 55 7-8; July, 59 3-8 offered;
september, 58 3-4; December, 48 bid.

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September, 58 3-4; December, 48 bid.

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C. H. Catherwood in Colorado.

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Maurice Brill and Joseph A WIDE-AWAKE SECRETARY. plus 20,000. Jacob A. Silned Joseph Sondheimer, Maurice Brill and Joseph L. Reiling are among those interested.

L. Reiling are among those interested. Searchard of the Treasury Leslie M. Searchard of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw appears to have a keener perception of integers, in Wall street wood.

BROKER RETIRES AT St. Company, which is financing the deals will advance \$5.00.00 cash to the Interest and Broadway.

BROKER RETIRES AT St. Division many of the speculators in pulse than many of the speculators in begin at once

old, and has been for twenty years a member of the Consolidated Exchange, has sold his seat and will retire from active business. H. R. Leighton, of Boston, bought the seat, paying \$2.500 for it, which is the high resord price of recent years

\*\*COPPER WAR MAY END.\*\*

It is asserted that a settlement of the long fight between the Amaigamated to the product of the statute unconstitutional. The opinion was rendered in the case of the State of Texas versus they seem that the particular of the product of the product of the product of the product of the statute unconstitutional. The opinion was rendered in the case of the State of Texas versus the Waters-Pierce Oil Company. It chase of imads by the Treasury would be resumed. "I have no intention of Fisher.

SHUT DOWN MINES PAY BACK \$100,000 BULLISH TENDENCY TO BREAK UP UNION. IS ORDER OF COURT

SHARP ADVANCES IN LEAD- DRASTIC MEASURE OF PITTS- JUSTICE STECKLER SETS BIG TRANSACTION ASIDE. BURG COAL COMPANY.

Out of Work by Closing of

Collieries.

LONDON MARKET STRONG.

There at 2.30 P. M. were April 37 385 June 807 July 804 886 September 838 October

SHIPPING NEWS.

MANANAS POR TO-DAY

PORT OF NEW YORK.

OUTGOING STEAMERS

ARRIVED.

Louisville & Nashville Prominent Ten Thousand Employees Thrown Hardt. Von Bermuth & Co. Have

COAL COMPANY ENJOINED. Company with florion rapital stock, naif

American Securities Medicinies MORGAN TO SELL

stock in hand to insure its going through.
Mr. Morgan will have to wait only until May 19 before putting the bonds

on the Lond market. He has already PRETTY MARTHA BEDICA A sucressfully preced in London \$75,000.00) of United States Steel Corporation stock and it is said that he expects to float interest and will be in a better position han the preferred stock, because the

interest on the bonds must be paid.

The Finance Committee of the Steel Preity seventeen-year-old Martha

Meyer Jonasson & Co.

TO-MORROW-THURSDAY.

Misses'

Fancy trimmed Eton Suit, with ninegore flare skirt (suitable for small women 1, 14, 16 and 18 years, or 32, \$16.75 34 and 36 sizes, retail value \$19.50, at \$16.75

Ladies' Collarless Eton, fancy vest, new Tailored flounce skirt, in black and blue light-Suits. weight cheviot, value \$21.50, at \$18.50

Walking New Models in Norfolk and Blouse \$19.75 effects, made of the latest Bannock and burn cheviots.

La Corona Corsets, \$2.00 \$3.50 \$5.00. BROADWAY AND 12TH ST.

W.T.Walton.Jr. 8th Ave., Cor. 51st St.

THURSDAY'S SALE. RIBBON—Striped Satin Taffets Ribbon, regular 29c 20c MEN'S SHIRTS—Men's Unlaundered White Shirts, regular 50c MEN'S SHIRTS-Men's Un-

THIRD-RAIL ROAD BEATS RIVAL AND GETS FRANCHISE.

In a decision handed down to-day Just New York and Portchester Defeats Hartford Railroad in Fight Before Commission.

of Raticoad Commissioners to-day gave be maintained by ex-

OPPOSES LOWER INTEREST EMPLOYERS WANT MEASURE RATE ON ASSESSMENTS.

Disapproves Measure Providing Representatives of the Workingfor Payments by Instalments

from the city at the rate of 6 per cent. & Marrow, representing the Ame tr will become increasingly difficult to collect this large volume of armaraises. It may be added that the rate of interest for default in payment of taxes is 7 lized hodies of agriculturalists, and B.

REPUBLICAN ATTACK ON THE RECIPROCITY BILL. per cent."

These arrearages in assessments due the city, the Mayor says, now amount to 121,000,000.

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lence. After the call triding was moderatively active and the general role approved the directors' plans for the steady.

Although the stockholders have not approved the directors' plans for the lessuance of the \$250,000,000 of 5 per cent. SAYS HER FATHER bonds to replace the \$200,000,000 of 7 per cent. preferred stock, it is known that the underwriting syndicate has enough stock in hand to insure its going.

KINNAPPEN H. KIDNAPPED HER.

PRISONER FIVE DAYS.

Wants Her to Pay Him for Her Clothes.

Trust is still conferring with the man-uging officials of the constituent com-street. Brooklyn, had her father, Arging officials of the constituent com-anies over the expenditure of \$30,000,000 thur, before Magistrate Watson in the Gates Avenue Court to-day, charging for improvements, this system of the court to-day, charging him with kidnapping her and making ATTACHED FOR \$500,000.

Officer of Quicksilver Mining Company Named for That Amount.

Deputy Sheriff Prendergast has received an attachment from Kings Country for \$50,00 against Riley A. Boggess and Emma B. Boggess in favor of John T. Reid

Mr. Hourres is the Second Vice-President and sent and emmanager of the Empire Company, and the attachment was served on officers of that company to straich his interest in the stock of that

FIREMAN'S WIDOW GETS BIG DAMAGES

VETOED.

men Before Governor to

Urge Its Approval.

VERDICT OF \$10,000 FOR MRS. JOSEPHINE ROBERTS.

Sand Heap in the Street Caused Engine to Overturn and Kill Husband.

heap of sand that had been allowed was overturned. Roberts was thrown ion Counsel claimed that Roberts was killed in the line of duty, but the jury agreed with the widow's counsel that of the Street Commissioner had properly attended to his duties the accident commissioner had properly attended to his duties the accident commissioner had properly attended to his duties the accident commissioner to succeed Charles and the commissioner to succeed Charles and the commissioner to succeed the co

Rugs and Matting Under Price.

\$30.00 Axminster Rugs at \$19.98.

This Offer is for To-florrow Only, as it Comprises 100 of the Finest Grades Axminster Rugs: in the most beautiful variety of colors and in high-class designs; both Oriental and Flo al patterns : size 12x9 feet, positively worth \$30.00 each, special at......

beautiful selection in this lot, and a value such as is seldom An AP, ractive Special Lot of Smyrna Rugs, 15 feet offered, even at Rothenberg's. Persian and Turkish pat-terns in red, blue, green, nile and errus to ft. terns in red, blue, green, nile and ecru. to ft.
6 in. long and 7 ft. wide. Offered as an exceptional special for to-morrow's selling at...

Roxhury Velvet Rugs, 63x27 inches fringed; real value \$3.00; special at...

1.49

reduction from usual price. Selling now in many stores at \$25.00 each; special 17.50

1.49

loo All-Wool Art Squares, 9 ft.x 7 ft.6 in.; strict-3.75

\$10 Matting at \$5.98 per Roll.

There is always a big response to the offering, and the best selection can be made before noon to-morrow. There is always a big response to the offering, and the best selection can be made before noon to-morrow. We bought a special lot at such an exceptional price that we can offer you this phenomenal saving. It is Reversible Linen Warp Japanese flatting, in red, green and blue, full 40 yards to the roll and worth

Upholstery and Lace Gurtains.

Tapestry Couch Covers. Nottingham Lace Curtains. Tapestry Table Covers. 

Garpet and Linoleum Specials.

Velvet Carpets—It is shown in n. west patterns and colorings, most suitable for parlor or dining room. Some have borders to match and all are worth \$1.15 per yard; special at....

Heavy All-Wool Tapestry Brussels, in rich, attractive patterns, suitable for any room, as well as for hall or stairs, worth 75c, per yd., 45c

Big Opportunities in Furniture. Highly Finished 5-Piece Parlor Suit. upholstered with best steel spring



at \$28.50, but offered special 19.7 only, at..... 

and covered in a choice selection of silk damask. Made to sell

\$6.50; special, in all sizes, at..... Solid Golden Oak Sidebeard, full swell front, 3 French A 40-lb. Black Mixed Hair Mattress, covered in A. C 

A SPECIAL VALUE OF DEEPEST INTEREST.



Another Special Lot of Silk Waists To-

See what trim, stylish garments these are! Where else will you find such effectiveness in cut and finish, such desirable material and beauty of finish at anywhere near this price? They are made of strictly all wool covert cloth in tan and castor, with velvet or plain collar, double stitched tailored seams, and fly front. Made short over hips and with French dip front, lined with silk serge: sizes 32 to 44; worth \$8.50 each, special at..... Silk Etons at \$5.98-Morrow-Made from fine wash silks, in Handsome Silk Peau de Sole, Moire and Tucked

white ground, with fancy stripes of rose, Etons in new collarless styles, handsomely stitched and bluz, lavender and pink. The new long fartest lined, sold in many stores at \$9.75 each, but this is a special lot bought at a remarkably low price and offered as a great special for tomorrow at.

sustained her in her struggle for in-dependence. We glory in her approaching sovereignty. But we must not for-get that while we may sympathize with Cuba, our first duty is toward our own people.

cause I believe it is calculated to breed strife and dissatisfaction with the other sugar countries of the world which are hus discriminated against. I believe it will have a tendency to provoke com mercial hostility among the other Wes India islands and our neighbors in South America.

cause, in order to give it effect, it be promise of the Republican party de liberately made in solemn convention to the American people; because I believe Mrs. Josephine M. Roberts, of No. 264 and industrial classes of the United Eckford street, Brooklyn, was awarded States, whose great interests have been \$10,000 damages this morning by a fury confided to our care; pecause I believe in Justice Gaynor's Court, in her suit it will be harmful in the extreme to the against the city for \$30,000, because of island of Cuba; because I believe that against the city for \$30,000, because of the husband's death.

Roberts was a fireman. While driving at night to a fire his team ran into a heap of sand that had been allowed.

accumulate in the street. The engine SOUTHERN PACIFIC ELECTS.

o the street and killed. The Corpora- Directors Rechosen for Ensuing Year with Exception of One. At the annual meet g of Southern Pacific Railway stockh ders to-day, in

OPPENHEIM, CLLINS & Q

Agents for

FAMOUS \_

Boots . . . 3.00 Several special styles 3.00 Oxfords . . 2.50 Five special styles . 3.50 BROADWAY AND 21ST ST.

YOUTH FATALLY STABS ANOTHER.

STOCK COMPANY

TICES IS SERIOUS.

Scerio, who is accused of inflicting the wound. Scerio is nineteen and his victim is accused to any seventeen years ald of the present stock company methods.

quarrel this morning Sand says that a quarrel this morning. Sand says that Scerio threw water on him, and that he resented it. Then Scerio threw another glass of water on Sand and Sand slapped glass of water on Sand and Sand slapped grant specific specifi he other's face.

ing a deep gash that penetrated the left lung. Sand fell to the floor, while

his assailant went into the rear room, secured some of his personal effects and hurried away. He was going in the direction of Greenpoint when last seen. Sand dragged himself to the door at the and called a passerby, who exchange during exchange during twely times.

May June and July coston prices were reasonable to the prices were reasonable to the prices.

STAR HAS TO REST

SHOE

FOR

WOMEN.

QUARREL BETWEEN APPREN- JAMES WILSON HAD APPEAR-ED IN THIRTY-FIVE PARTS.

Michael Sand is dying in St. Cath-rine's Hospital, Williamsburg, from a American Theatre Stock Company, has knife wound in the breast, and a gen- notified his employers that by the aderal alarm has been sent out for John vice of his physicians he must give up

The boys were apprentices in a barber shop at the corner of Herbert street and the corner of Herbert street and the results of the present stock company methods. During the season now drawing to a close Mr. Wilson has memorized, reshop at the corner of Herbert street and hearsed and appeared in thirty-five new Graham avenue. Williamsburg, and had a quarrel this morning. Sand says that nervous strain is a threatened attack of

Scerio became angry and drew a knife with which he attacked Sand, infliet.

to Bull Campaign. The "bears" had a bad scare on the Cotton Exchange to-day, and for a tin

Sand dragged himself to the door fier a time and salled a passerby, who immoned a policeman.

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